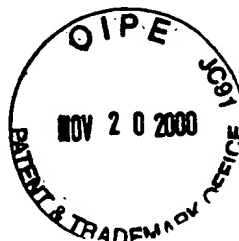


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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, replace paragraph 1 under the heading "CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS" with the following new replacement paragraph:

This application is a continuation-in-part of commonly-assigned, copending application No. 09/479,235, filed January 7, 2000 (attorney docket 95-421), the disclosure of which is incorporated in its entirety herein by reference.